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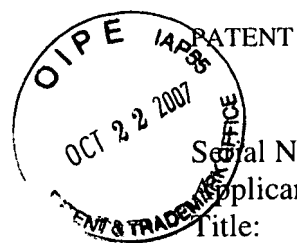
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**AMENDMENT**

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Applicant submits this amendment in response to the Final Office Action of September 12, 2007. Kindly amend the application as follows.

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**CLEAN VERSION OF ALL THE PENDING CLAIMS** begins on page 4 of this paper.

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